Bankrupt Sale

OF

Real estate formerly belonging to

Dr. W. L. Ould

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1939

Pursuant to an order entered by the Referee in Bankruptcy on, to-wit, August 30, 1939, in the cause of W. L. Ould, Bankrupt, the undersigned will on September 30, 1939, offer for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the places and times hereinafter indicated the following described properties, to-wit:

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

the undersigned will sell on the premises the following described property, to-wit:

(1) A small parcel of land fronting 18 feet, more or less, on Church Street, in the Town of Appomattox, Va., and on which is located a small building which is now used as a shoe repair shop.

Immediately after the sale of the above described property there will be sold at the same place (that is on the above described property) the following described properties:

(2) An undivided interest in a tract of land in Buckingham County, Va., supposed to contain 70 acres, more or less.

(3) Lots 27 and 28 as shown on a "Map of Celestial Heights, Mrs. S. L. Ferguson, Sub-Division" of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Va., in D. B. 37, P. 332.

(4) A one-half undivided interest in a tract of land about one and one-half miles southwest of Stonewall in Appomattox County, Va., containing 9 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to Dr. W. L. Ould by Letitia McIvor and husband by deed dated June 20, 1914, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Va., in Deed Book 15, page 340.

AT 3 P. M. O'CLOCK

the undersigned will sell on the premises the following described property, to-wit:

(5) A tract of land in Southside District, Appomattox County, Va., having a frontage of approximately 68 feet on the State Highway, and a depth of approximately 500 feet, and on which there are located three small dwellings, and being the same property conveyed to W. Lyle Ould by James Conner and Mary Conner, his wife, by deed dated March 21, 1927, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Va., in Deed Book 26, page 151.

The undersigned has had the last above described property subdivided and will sell the three houses located on said property separately.

AT 4 P. M. O'CLOCK

the undersigned will sell on the premises the following described property, to-wit:

(6) A small tract of land in Campbell County, Va., near Concord Depot, containing approximately one acre and being the same property conveyed to Dr. W. L. Ould by Lelia B. Colhoun and C. C. Colhoun by deed dated April 6, 1907, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Campbell County, Va. in Deed Book 82, page 611.

AT 4:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

the undersigned will sell on the premises the following described property, to-wit:

(7) That certain tract of land in Campbell County, Va., near Concord, containing 110 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to W. L. Ould by George H. Thornhill et als by deed dated March 23, 1908, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Campbell County, Va., in Deed Book 84, page 352.

Taxes on all of the above described properties for the year 1939 and fire insurance premiums on the fire insurance policies carried on said properites will be pro rated as of the date of sale.

Bidder's deposit of 10 per cent of the purchase price may be required by the Trustee as to any parcel of land sold.

Frank L. Thomasson
Trustee in Bankruptcy of W. L. Ould

(9-14-3tc)

Dedication program for the new school building in Appomattox were held Tuesday.

Appomattox needs boosters.

Trade in your home county.

Recent Bride And Maid of Honor

Mrs. J. Robert Emmert, who before her marriage on September 2, was Miss Thelma Gunter. On left, Miss Bessie Gunter, who was her sister's maid of honor.

Order of Publication

NOTICE

To: Elizabeth F. Turner, Norman C. Turner, Margaret Pore, Willie Ann Clapp, James Flood and Sam Flood.

You are hereby notified that H. G. Shirley, Chairman of the Highway Commission of Virginia, will on the 1st. day of October, 1939, at Appomattox, Virginia, at ten o'clock A. M. on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, apply to Hon. Robert F. Hutcheson, Judge of the Circuit Court of the County of Appomattox, for the appointment of Commissioners to ascertain what will be a just compensation for the strip or parcel of land hereinafter described to be condemned for the uses of the said Highway Commission of Virginia.

Beginning at a point on the centerline of Rt. 460 between 4.648 Mi. W. of Appomattox and 3.304 Mi. E. of Concord, shown on plans as being Sta. 114-70 and adjoining the lands of Mrs. C. R. Morton; thence S. 51 degrees 01 minute W. 410 ft. to the lands of Norman Turner being Sta. 118-80.

The land to be acquired hereunder being a strip or parcel of varying width lying on the southeast (left) side of and adjacent to the hereinabove described centerline and being 0.0 ft. wide at Sta. 115-04; thence diverging from the centerline and widening with the property line of Mrs C R Morton to 48 ft. at Sta. 115-40; thence narrowing to 40 ft. at Sta. 117-00 and continuing 40 ft. wide to Sta. 118-28; thence diverging from centerline and narrowing with the property line of Norman Turner to 0.0 ft. at a point 40 ft. opposite Sta. 118-80. Also a strip or parcel of varying width lying on the northwest (right) side of the said centerline and being 0.0 ft. wide at a point 48 ft. opposite Sta. 114-70; thence encroaching on the centerline and widening with the property line of Mrs. C. R. Morton to 50 ft. and becoming adjacent to the centerline at Sta. 115-04; thence narrowing to 40 ft. at Sta. 116-50 and continuing 40 ft. wide to Sta. 118-05; thence encroaching on the centerline and narrowing with the property line of Norman Turner to 0.0 ft. at Sta. 118-28.

Said strips or parcels contain 0.61 acre, more or less.

A blue print showing the cuts and fills and description of said property has been filed in the clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Appomattox, in accordance with the statute in such cases made and provided.

H. G. Shirley, Chairman Highway Commission of Virginia.
By Joel W. Flood, Counsel.

(9-14-2tc)

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, on the 5th day of September, 1939.

Joe Turner, ... Plaintiff

Against

Ellen Turner, Annie Thompson, Jennie Turner, Dorothy Turner, and any and all unknown heirs of Henry B. Turner, Lymus Harvey and Frederick Harvey and others, Defendants.

The object of this suit is to partition two tracts of land containing 10 acres, more or less, and a three fifths interest in 100 1|2 acres, more or less, both located in the county of Appomattox, Virginia, of which Henry B. Turner, Lymus Harvey and Frederick Harvey died seized and possessed.

And it appearing by affidavit filed that Ellen Turner, Annie Thompson, Jennie Turner and Dorothy Turner, and any and all unknown heirs of Lymus Harvey, Henry B. Turner, are not resident of the state of Virginia, they are hereby required to appear within ten days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests.

Teste:

C. W. Smith, Clerk.

Thompson & Thompson, p. q.

(9-7-4t)

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(8-24-4tc)

For Sale: Pair young iron-gray horses, and one pair young dark mules. All sound and well-broken. Good buy. See:
John E. Burnette,
Rt. 4, Appomattox, Va.
9—7—3tp

FOR SALE

For Sale: One of nicest farms in Appomattox county, known as M. C. Caldwell Farm. 207 acres. All necessary buildings. About 6 miles north of Appomattox. See-
H. H. Caldwell, or
C. D. Lewis,
Appomattox, Rt. 3
9—7—2tp

NOTICE

I will open a Kindergarten on September 21st, at the School auditorium. Moderate rates. Please see me at once if you have children to enter.

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A. B. Houseman,
RFD 1, Spout Spring, Va.
(9-14-1tp)

Seed Wheat For Sale: Wood's Forward. Can be seen at J. D. Morris' store, Appomattox.
R. W. Morris

Notice: The Bonnie Beauty Shoppe will be closed September 25 to October 9.
Jessie Fitzgerald, prop.

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Communication

Appomattox, Va.,
September 13, 1939

Editor Times Virginian,
Dear Sir,

On August 27, 1939, when our Heavenly Father called to His eternal home His faithful servant, J. H. Thornhill, there was sadness in the hearts of his many friends, but they were thankful that one so upright, frank, but courteous in all his dealings with his fellowman, had been spared to the community for 87 years. Mr. Thornhill lived a quiet life, but lived it well raised a large family of children and raised them well; and they can feel proud of the example he set. A man who lived to the age of 87 years and lived the upright life that he lived deserves special mention when he has passed away. I knew Mr. Thornhill all my life, and consider it a privilege to have had in him a dear friend, and his passing caused me great sorrow.

N. R. Featherston.

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet **tonight.**

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Silver's History

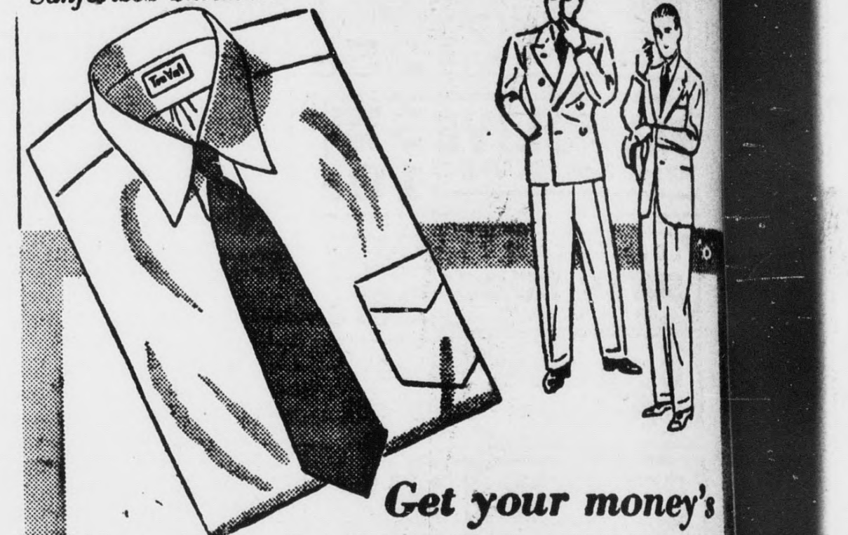
Originally a trading post colony of the Netherlands, New York's first silversmiths were mostly of Holland Dutch birth or heritage, and although by 1660 New York had become an English colony, the silver made by its craftsmen retained the Dutch flavor, both in design and ornamentation. Gradually this was modified by the influx of English and Huguenot craftsmen. The result was pieces of silver with a distinction all their own. In form and ornamentation they were a mingling of both the Dutch and English traditions with slight touches of the French, reflecting the presence of a tightly knit though small group of Huguenots. Because of these three influences, New York silver until the middle of the Eighteenth century and, in some cases, almost to the outbreak of the American Revolution varied distinctly from that being made in the other English colonies.

Marble Table Tops

From Elizabethan England records of marble stone table in 1588, although it was not the early part of the Eighteent tury that marble appeared as portant furnishing feature in land. Its use in Italy most ably predates this, since the resources there and the ar tural character of the fur would both encourage the marble.

Giants' Causeway

There is no natural phenom anywhere to compare to the Gi Causeway, on the northern coa Ireland, with its piled mass hexagonal rocks, a gigantic and tastic honeycomb in stone. It of the wonders of the world. highway by the sea surpass grandeur the magnificent coas which leads to it.



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FATHER DARLEAF'S COLUMN

by c. h. r.

It is always a pleasure to stop by Max Wheeler's at Spout Spring and exchange the time of day. The other day Father Darkleaf dropped by and found that Max had on display a tremendous stalk of corn. It was stretched out over the front door, and according to Max, measured 14 feet three and 1|2 inches. The elongated stalk was raised by Mott Cyrus, of Spout Spring, to whom we doff our editorial hat.

It occurs to us to suggest that when a picture is taken, it is always advisable to write the date and place it was taken on the reverse of the print, together with any other interesting information. Of late, several old pictures have been brought into our office, whose value is lessoned by the fact that one does not have the facts concerning them.

Attention should be given to the long and enviable record of professor L. Crawley as principal of the Appomattox high school. He came to our community for the session of 1908-09, when the school was located at the present site of the T. W. Moses residence. There were 66 enrolled that year. The high school department went to the third year. In 1909, the new school building on the present campus was entered.

How many of our readers recall the dense woods on the site of the present campus? Mrs. Gracie O'Brien has a fine picture taken when the old class-room building was opened, probably the first session, and showing horse-drawn wagons for the transportation of students.

In 1912 the state of North Carolina sent a delegation to Appomattox to see how the practice of hauling pupils worked out, and later adopted this method.

The local high school has many "priorities." It was one of the first group of ten agricultural schools in Virginia, one for each congressional district. It claims to be the first to have a separate home economics cottage. It was one of the very first to "haul" pupils, and it was one of the first to use what is now the 4-H club idea.

Prior to professor Crawley, Mr. McDonald was principal here. Earlier Mr John Fisher held forth for a number of years. Mr. Crawley had taught at Frederick College, Maryland; and also taught at Martinsville. There were six teachers at the local school in 1909. They got about the same salaries the teachers receive now, anw the local school always had a full nine-month term.

The dormitory began its service in 1914. It cost $11,000. Pupils were "boarded" in a number of residences around town, and came here from nearby counties. Professor Crawley was the agriculture teacher for several years, as well as principal. Mrs. May Walton Green taught home economics. How many recall Miss Alene Houser?

Stables were located near where the present home economics is located. Professor Crawley says he helped get up the stumps where the present playground is!

The auditorium went up in 1922. Mr. Featherston was superintendent then.

We neglected to state that professor Crawley also taught in Georgia before coming here. The school board once leased him for a residence a dwelling next to the present Lee Theatre. Then, he lived in the dormitory five years. He has had many tempting offers to leave Appomattox, but local folks wouldn't let him go. He says he knows of only one other principal who has matched his service tenure, that one being at Lexington.

We hope he is good for another thirty years!

The local school has alumni in 26 states,.. but that's another story and well'll try to get it written ere long.

In the meantime, there is the news flash of the killing of the premier of Rumania!

Nobody can define Liberty satisfactorily.

During the Civil War, Lincoln made a speech in Baltimore, in which he said: "The shepherd drives the wolf from the sheep's throat, for which the sheep thanks the shepherd as his liberator, while the wolf denounces him for the same act as the destroyer of liberty, especially as the sheep was a black one. Plainly, the sheep and the wolf are not agreed upon a definition of liberty; and precisely the same difference prevails today, among us human creatures."

From Imperial Magazine.

English report sinking of a number of German submarines.

Appomattox is a friendly town!

Local Legion Post Has Picnic This Saturday

On Saturday, September 23, Appomattox war veterans will be entertained at Holiday Lake with a picnic dinner, by the new Commander of Appomattox Post 106, of the American Legion, Col. Joel Flood.

All members of the Legion, and all war veterans in the county are invited to attend this function, and enjoy the occasion. The new Post officers will be installed as part of the procedure. The affiair will start at 3 P. M. Brunswick stew and oyster stew will head the menu.

81-Year Man Builds Himself a Coffin

(By VPA)

Realizing that his remaining years are limited 81-year-old Sandy Hill Taylor, Henrico county farmer, is preparing for his own funeral, having built a coffin for himself. Taylor and his wife, who is 82, are quite casual about it all. There is very little of the macabre about Taylor and his coffin. He is proud of his handiwork and will demonstrate its suitability by climbing in and reclining to show that it fits, even with his hat on. He does it with neither hesitancy no exhibitionism. Mrs. Taylor has no qualfs about death, either, but she has refused to allow her husband to make her a coffin. Mr. Taylor had done a lot of work with his tools and wood, and had built a number of coffins for other people, so he decided a few months ago to set about the task of building his own. He took some heart pinewood and soaked it thoroughly with creosote. This wood he used for the coffin's inner frame; outside, over all, he soldered a heavy coating of zinc. The last step was to put on some handles that had been given him years ago by an undertaker.

"It's a good coffin," Taylor says. "It's better than most of those $200 and $300 coffins. Why, I've seen some of those $200 coffins that I could get into and kick to pieces in a minute."

The aged man went to the Richmond area about 20 years ago. Born in Buckingham county in 1858, he was hoeing corn in his shirttail and fighting mosquitos off his legs when the Confederacy was at war, he recalled. Later he became a wheelwright and did a thriving business in the wagon and carriage era.

TO MY MOTHER

Mother, Mother, how I pray,
Hear me on this Mother's Day,
You, who always seem to do
What is right, and good and true.

You who trained me from my birth,
Shared my sorrows, and my mirth,
You, who nursed my every ill
You, who help me onward still.

You who help me on my way,
Onward till the close of day,
Then you watch me through the night
Always doing what is right.

Patient woman, kind and true,
You, who hast the power to do
What is right in great or small,
My Mother, dearest of them all.

—By H. M. M., Jr., Hixburg Va.

Primary Group Meeting

The primary group of teachers met Wednesday after the main teachers' meeting for the purpose of reorganizing. The following officers were elected for the year:

President, Vivian Clarke

Secretary and treasurer, Bessie Gunter

Program committee: Bessie Gunter, Mrs. Susie B. Christian, and Myrtle Smith.

The group will meet every six weeks at Appomattox.

Germany raises taxes to a new high mark to finance war.

Hitler addresses throng in Danzig.

Appomattox has two strong banks and modern business services, as attractions making it the logical business center of this trade area.

New York Constitution

The original constitution of New York state is older than that of the United States for on July 6, 1776, a constitutional convention met in White Plains, N. Y., to set up a substitute for the royal regime in the province of New York. In April, 1777, the constitution was adopted at Kingston without submission to a popular vote. The United States Constitution was adopted on September 17, 1787.

Evacuation of London Children

Scene at a London railroad station as many thousands of children were being taken from the city to places of more security in the country in anticipation of German air raids. The total population of the designated evacuation areas is about 11,000,000, but only about 3,000,000 of the residents fell into the first group that was moved. That group included school children, their teachers, pre-school children and their mothers, the adult blind and crippled, and invalids who [illegible] condition to be moved.

Appomattox Football Team Opens Schedule at Bedford

National Guard Unit To Be Enlarged

(By VPA)

The strength of the National Guard in Virginia and other states will be increased about 20 per cent in accordance with a recent order issued by President Roosevelt, according to notification received by Adjutant-General S. Gardner Waller, head of the Virginia unit. This action, General Waller said, would mean about 800 more men in the Old Dominion's unit. General Waller has notified Governor Price that physical examination of all officers of the Virginia Guard, in line with Secretary of War Woodring's request last April, had been completed.

General Waller said Virginia Guard officers "are physically fit," that they "were given physical examinations by authorized physicians prior to September 1," and that "any apparant physical disability has either been waived by the war department or else those physically disqualified have been discharged."

Ireland only part of British Commonwealth failing to come to aid of England in present war.

Cabinet Makers' Work From Cradle to Coffin

The scope covered by the work of Chester county, Pa., cabinet makers was literally from the cradle to the coffin. The daybooks are filled with orders for these two articles, which with that other symbol of man's recumbency, the bed, seems to have been the most popular furniture of the day. In between, of course, were the various articles which a man used and from which he drew a large measure of comfort during his earthly existence, writes David Stockwell in "American Collector." There were chairs, tables for dining and other purposes, chests of drawers for storing his clothes, desks for his accounts and letters, tall clocks to measure the passing of time, and sundry items that filled the home of the Eighteenth and early Nineteenth centuries. All these were made, and made well, by the cabinet makers of Chester county.

According to the records, however, it was late in the Eighteenth century before any craftsman of this section actually styled himself cabinet maker. The reason is not far to seek if one remembers that Chester county had no large centers of population at the time.

There was no courthouse in Goshen and the town of West Chester was not only unincorporated, but consisted of a little group of houses at a crossroads known as Turk's Head. Through the hills and hollows of the county, every township, hamlet or tiny cluster of houses had its own group of artisans. These were a cobbler, a tailor, a potter, a wheelwright, a joyner, a whitesmith, a blacksmith, and possibly, if the farmers were prosperous enough, a silversmith and a cabinet maker.

Balkan countries fear further encroachments from Russo-German alliance.

The Times Virginian is the official advertising medium of this section. Use it. Read it.

With only one week's practice behind them, but with an impressive list of veteran players, the Appomattox high school football team journeys to Bedford tomorrow afternoon for the opening game on a difficult schedule. Coach Charles A. Hilt indicated today that he would test out several combinations during the game, and hoped to make a creditable showing against the strong Bedford eleven.

Although five lettermen from last year's team are missing due to graduation, Coach Hilt has enough veteran material available to start a letter-winner at each position if he so desires. However, several of the new players are showing up so well in practice that several new men may be in the starting line-up.

Captain Jack Turman and three other lettermen are available for backfield duty. The backfield candidates include: Captain Turman, Harry Burge, Ivanhoe Bryant, David Christian, Billy Ould, Harold Cawthorn, William Mitchell, Charles Bryant and James Garrett.

At the end position, the coach has Guy Cabell, Buck Wallace, Lathan Harvey, Julian Hesson, Herman Lee and Buck Smith. Tackle candidates are: Tom Guill, Buster Moore, Robert Allen Sears, and James Spiggle.

At center, Chester Ligon and J. E. Carson Jr. are vieing for the starting nod. Guard aspirants are: Sid Conner, Joe Ferrell, Roy Crawley, Frank Miller, Pete Evans and Andrew Paulette.

New jerseys, helmets, shoes and pants have been purchased, and the blue and white team will have a snappy eappearance.

The first home game will not be played until October 13. There is a possibility that the home games may be played on the new Lee Theatre baseball diamond, but no definite decision has been reached on that point.

Coach Hilt has expressed pleasure over the spirit of the squad, and frankly says the team will be beteer than last year's eleven. However, he groans when he looks at the ambitious schedule arranged, and admits that winning half of the games would constitute a successful year.

Many students and followers of the team are expected to make the trip to Bedford tomorrow.

The Schedule

The schedule of the Appomattox high school football team follows:

September 22, at Bedford.
September 29, at Lawrenceville.
October 6, at Midway.
October 13, Fluvanna, here.
October 20, pending.
October 27, Staunton, there.
November 3, Blackstone, here.
November 11, Altavista, there.
November 17, Clarksville, here.

Appomattox is a growing town!

Renew your subscription today!

Appomattox needs boosters!

Read the business notices and classified ads in today's issue.

There was a special meeting of the town council Monday night.

RED CROSS WORKER HERE

Miss Virginia Dowdell, of Washington, special field representative of the American Red Cross, was in Appomattox this week to interview local Red Cross leaders in regards to preliminary plans for the annual roll call membership drive. Rev. W. M. Black, of Pamplin, is roll call chairman. Miss Dowdell stated that with Europe at war, an entirely different light is placed on the coming membership drive. Many chaptpers have already, she said, started work on activities to help the suffering in the countries at war. It is hoped that Appomattox county will be able to increase its membership this year.

It is assumed that all former membership quotas will be abandoned in an effort to reach a larger enrollment in the Red Cross.

Rev. Black will shortly announce the list of chairmen and sub-chairmen for the various communities in this county.

Reports On Hospital Drive

Mrs. Mildred Alvis, chairman of the Southside Community Hospital tag day drive, has reported that the tag day effort in Appomattox county this year was very successful, and she wishes to thank all those who had part in the drive. One cause for the nice sum raised in Appomattox this year was the cooperation of colored workers.

Shower For Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jennings

Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham entertained at a miscellaneous shower Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jennings. The home was decorated with early fall flowers, umbrellas and sprinklers, the colors of blue and white being used throughout the rooms. A floral cake of white summer chrysanthemums topped with a mineature bride and groom was used as a table centerpiece. Many beautiful and useful gifts were presented the newly-weds.

Among the features of entertainment for the evening was a mock wedding on the lawn.

Refreshments were served on the porch. Mrs. Tucker Clark and Miss Betty Morris presided at the punch assisted by Mrs. Z. V. Harvey and Clarkie Evans.

About seventy-fice guests were present.

Honor Roll of Church

The honor roll for the Junior Class of the Spout Spring Baptist church for the month of August was as follows: Gertrude Jamerson, Emma Mann, David Cyrus, Mary Jamerson, Lawrence Franklin, June Blackwell, Cornelia Reynolds, Lois Hawley, Don Roberts and Ronald Webb.

Young People's Circle

The Young People's Circle of the Appomattox Presbyterian church met Wednesday evening with Miss Mary Featherston.

Mrs. Lila Dean led the devotional with a selection from the Book of John. "Forgotten Areas in the South," the topic of a most interesting program, was led by Mrs. Joel Flood. Each member present had a part on the program.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. W. Flood as hostess, on October 11. Miss Gladys Meredith will lead the program.

—Mary Featherston, reporter.

To Speak at Buckingham

State senator Charles T. Moses and Calvin Robinson, of Appomattox will be the speakers at a public meeting of the Young Democratic Club of Buckingham, next Thursday night at Buckingham Court House.

Charged With Sugar Theft

Two Negro boys have been charged with petty larceny as a result of theft of several hundred pounds of sugar from a local store late last month. The case will be heard this week before judge L. F. Ferguson.

Local P.-T. A. To Meet

Mrs. D. E. Caldwell, Jr., has announced that the Appomattox P.-T. A. will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the school.

Lawn Party at Spout Spring

There will be a lawn party at Spout Spring postoffice on Friday, September 22, at 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

The Appomattox Garden Club will meet Friday night.

Germans expected to take the offensive against France.

This is the home newspaper of Appomattox county.

Enrollmennt Is Ahead of Last Year at A. H. S.

Although considerable extra space is available in the new Appomattox high school, and the equipment is geared to increase the efficiency of the school, things are still pretty crowded. No official enrollment totals are available as yet, but after a week's time indications are that the school will have nearly 75 more pupils than last year.

The high school department is nearing an enrollment of 400, with a record-sized sophomore class. This year's senior class has seventy on roll, and may reach 75 by mid-term. There are 101 freshmen and about 80 juniors.

The enlarged high school enrollment is attributed to an influx of students from Oakville and Liberty Chapel. Enrollment at Oakville is understood to be 80 this year.

The grade department at Appomattox totals 378 thus far, making a grand total of 778 in the school. The first official enrollment figures will not be available until teachers submit their monthly reports October 1st.

From all sides have come reports of gratification at the set-up at the new school, and school officials are settling down to a year of increased standards.

Last year on October 1. there were 366 in the high school department here and 355 in the grades.

Senior News

By Constance Fulp

The Senior enrollment has about seventy boys and girls.

The Student Government has begun its organization for the coming year. The officers are: president: Kennon Kinney; vice president, David Christian; secretary and treasurer Frances Harvey.

Football practice has begun under the coaching of Mr. Hilt. The football squad is as follows:

Jack Turman, Buck Wallace, Guy Cabell, Robert Allen Sears, James Spiggle, Buster Moore, Tom Guill, Chester Ligon, J. E. Carson, Harold Cawthorne, William Mitchell, David Christian, Harry Burge, Ivanhoe Bryant, Charles Bryant, Billy Ould, Joe Ferrell, Roy Crawley, Sidney Conner, Julian Hesson, Herman Lee, Andrew Paulette, Pete Evans, James Garrett, Lathan Harvey and Buck Smith.

The Senior class misses of of its very important members, Josephine Murray. She was in an accident and hasn't been to school as yet. She is supposed to enter next Monday.

LIBRARY NEWS

The students of the Appomattox high school are being instructed in the use of the library. The English classes of Miss Pankey and Mrs. Welch are having their course this week. The remainder of the English classes will be instructed next week.

A library code of honor for the conduct of each student in the library will be presented to the student body.

The library wishes to welcome Miss Kate O'Brien as its teacher-librarian for the year. She will spend the afternoon periods in the library.

The Library Club hopes to reorganize for its winter activities.

FRESHMEN NEWS

By Hazel Schutte

The morning of September 14, 1939, was an eventful day for the one hundred and one Freshmen who entered the Appomattox high school. They were clamoring for admittance early that morning because they were eager to see and use their new one hundred and twelve thousand dollar home. Each one was bubbling over with enthusiasm and good intentions. Let us hope that this class will hold out through the year!

Colored Dots

Mrs. Silver Galoway is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mae Davis.

Donation to Football Team

The staff of last year's school annual has turned over to the high school football team a balance of $35 which it had from the publication of the successful yearbook. The money has already been put to use in purchasing additional equipment,